

H.R. 3986, to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize appropriations for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts (H. Rept. 110-480); and

H.R. 275, to promote freedom of expression on the Internet, to protect United States businesses from coercion to participate in repression by authoritarian foreign governments, with an amendment (H. Rept. 110-481, Pt. 1).

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**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed representative McIntyre to act as Speaker Pro Tempore for today.

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**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on page H15212.

**Senate Referrals:** S. Con. Res. 54 was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** There were no Yea-and-Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 3:05 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2007

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* to hold hearings to examine S. 2156, to authorize and facilitate the improvement of water management by the Bureau of Reclamation, to require the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Energy to increase the acquisition and analysis of water resources for irrigation, hydroelectric power, municipal, and environmental uses, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Finance:* to hold hearings to examine S. 1673, to facilitate the export of United States agricultural products to Cuba as authorized by the Trade Sanctions Reform and Export Enhancement Act of 2000, to remove impediments to the export to Cuba of medical devices

and medicines, to allow travel to Cuba by United States citizens, to establish an agricultural export promotion program with respect to Cuba, 10 a.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to receive a closed briefing on the national intelligence estimate on Iran, focusing on nuclear intentions and capabilities, 2:30 p.m., S-407, Capitol.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* to hold hearings to examine the global challenge of HIV/AIDS, tuberculosis, and malaria, 10 a.m., SR-325.

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, to hold joint hearings with the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Energy to examine the role of speculation in recent crude oil prices, 10 a.m., SH-216.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine e-government 2.0, focusing on improving innovation, collaboration, and access, 10 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Terrorism, Technology and Homeland Security, to hold hearings to examine the legal rights of Guantanamo detainees, focusing on what they are, should they be changed, and is there an end in sight, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Subcommittee on Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights, to hold hearings to examine the Sunshine in Litigation Act, focusing on whether court secrecy undermines public health and safety, 2:30 p.m., SD-226.

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

#### House

*Committee on Armed Services,* hearing on Security and Stability in Afghanistan: Status of U.S. Strategy and Operations and the Way Ahead, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

*Committee on Oversight and Government Reform,* Subcommittee on Information Policy, Census, and National Archives, hearing on A Review of the Census Bureau's Risk Management Activities for IT Acquisitions, 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on Rules,* to consider the following: Conference Report to accompany H.R. 1585, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008; Conference Report to accompany H.R. 2082, Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008; and a resolution Providing for the consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 2764) making appropriations for the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008, and for other purposes, 5 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

10 a.m., Tuesday, December 11

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Tuesday:** After the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 60 minutes), Senate will continue consideration of H.R. 2419, Farm Bill Extension Act, and after a period of debate, vote on or in relation to Chambliss (for Lugar) Amendment No. 3711 to Amendment No. 3511.

(Senate will recess from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences.)

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

10:30 a.m., Tuesday, December 11

## House Chamber

**Program for Tuesday:** Consideration of the following suspensions: (1) H.R. 3079—To amend the Joint Resolution Approving the Covenant to Establish a Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands; (2) H.R. 3739—To amend the Arizona Water Settlements Act to modify the requirements for the statement of findings; (3) H.R. 123—To authorize appropriations for the San Gabriel Basin Restoration Fund; (4) H. Res. 842—Expressing sympathy to and pledging the support of the House of Representatives and the people of the United States for the victims of Cyclone Sidr in southern Bangladesh; (5) H. Res. 708—Honoring the life and accomplishments of Luciano Pavarotti and recognizing the significant and positive impact of his astounding musical talent, his achievement in raising the profile of opera with audiences around the world, and his com-

mitment to charitable causes; (6) H. Res. 847—Recognizing the importance of Christmas; (7) H. Res. 768—Honoring the life of Thomas “Tommy” Makem; (8) H. Con. Res. 264—Honoring the University of Hawaii for its 100 years of commitment to public higher education; (9) H. Res. 785—Recognizing the 100th Anniversary of Robstown, Texas; (10) H.R. 4009—To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 567 West Nepessing Street in Lapeer, Michigan, as the “Turrill Post Office Building”; (11) H. Con. Res. 215—Supporting the designation of a week as National Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and Automated External Defibrillator Awareness Week; (12) H. Res. 695—Expressing the support for designation of a “National Fire Fighter Appreciation Day” to honor and celebrate the fire fighters of the United States; (13) S. 597—An act to extend the special postage stamp for breast cancer research for 4 years; (14) H.R. 4108—To amend section 3328 of title 5, United States Code, relating to Selective Service registration; (15) H. Con. Res. 261—Commemorating the centennial anniversary of the sailing of the Navy’s “Great White Fleet,” launched by President Theodore Roosevelt on December 16, 1907, from Hampton Roads, Virginia, and returning there on February 22, 1909; (16) H.R. 3986—John F. Kennedy Center Reauthorization Act of 2007; (17) H.R. 3985—Over-the-Road Bus Transportation Accessibility Act of 2007; (18) H. Res. 661—Honoring the accomplishments of Barrington Antonio Irving, the youngest pilot and first person of African descent ever to fly solo around the world; (19) Resolution honoring those who have volunteered to assist in the cleanup of the November 7, 2007, oil spill in San Francisco Bay; (20) H.R. 797—Dr. James Allen Veteran Vision Equity Act; (21) H.R. 2601—The “Do-Not-Call Registry Fee Extension Act of 2007”; and (22) H.R. 3541—The “Do-Not-Call Improvement Act of 2007”.

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